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	CONVERSION MATERIAL,	:	
	THERMOELECTRIC)	
	CONVERSION DEVICE AND	:	
	MANUFACTURING METHOD)	
	THEREOF	:	February 9, 2010

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

A. Introductory Comments

In response to the Office Action dated November 6, 2009, please amend the above-captioned application as follows and consider the following remarks.